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C O N F I D E N T I A L USNATO 04657

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: NATO, CSCE
SUBJECT: CSCE/CBMS: MANEUVER NOTIFICATIONS AND INVITATIONS
- TO OBSERVERS

REFS: (A) STATE 116122 (DTG 060156Z MAY 78),
- (B) USNATO 4109 (DTG 211355Z APR 78)
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1. WE INFORMED FRG DELEGATION OFFICER OF US PREFERENCE
FOR INVITING OBSERVERS TO CERTAIN SHIELD FOR THE PERIOD
OF SEPTEMBER 25-29 (REF A), AND POINTED OUT PROBLEMS
RELATED TO EARLIER TIMEFRAME OF SEPTEMBER 22-26 PROPOSED
BY FRG. OFFICER SAID HE WOULD REPORT OUR POSITION ON
LATER DATES TO BONN.

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2. BELGIAN DELEGATION HAS CIRCULATED NOTE INDICATING
THAT TOTAL NUMBER OF FORCES PARTICIPATING IN RED TORNADO
(REF B) WILL BE APPROXIMAGELY 10,600 (9,000 BELGIAN
TROOPS; 1,600 US). BELGIANS DO NOT PLAN TO NOTIFY
MANEUVER OR INVITE OBSERVERS. BENNETT

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